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I urge the EPA to adopt the most aggressive cleanup measures to make the Willamette River a healthy ecosystem in our lifetime. This is a one time opportunity to restore the health of the river - if we don't do it now, we will never get a river that is clean enough for people to be able to eat the fish in the river safely. It is critical that the plan does not shift the burden of this long term problem from those who created it ^{and are} responsible to those who now live along the river and suffer from the pollution. Please do not use the terminal 4 as a toxiewaste dump for the

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toxins removed from the river. In the event of an earthquake or severe storm, the earthen berm could slip or be breached, ³⁵ and the river could be recontaminated. If that happens, it would become the responsibility of our local taxpayers. The hope that Monitored Natural Recovery will be adequate for a major part of the cleanup is nothing but a hope, and hope is not a strategy. Please make the right decision to restore the health of our river so that our children and their children can look forward to a day when they can swim in the Willamette and eat the fish.

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